



WEEKLY VEAL MARKET SUMMARY
~ Livestock, Meat, Feed Ingredients & Skin Markets ~
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CARLOT VEAL CARCASS REPORT
Northeast and North Central Basis - 08/11/2016-08/17/2016

Compared to last week: The special fed veal carcass market was steady to lower on comparable sales of open market calves and steady to firm of packer owned calves on moderate demand and light to moderate offerings. Harvest numbers were 10.5 percent higher compared to last week's total. Dressed weights were up 10.7 pounds in the North-east, up 4.1 pounds in the North Central, with the total NE & NC being up 7.1 pounds.

VEAL CARCASS, SPECIAL FED, HOT BASIS-PAID TO PRODUCER.

NON-PACKER OWNED	Head	Range	Wt. Ave.	Change
Hide-Off, 255-315 Lbs.	2257	300.00- 349.00	321.69	-4.40
PACKER OWNED				
Hide-Off, 255-315 Lbs.	1372	310.00- 325.00	324.92	3.31

CONTRACT INFORMATION: Hot Basis, Hide-Off
Current future contracts offered: Firm Bottom Northeast and North Central, 275.00 to 285.00 for December to January.

* North Central = OH, IN, IL, MI, & WI
* Northeast = MA, MD, PA, NY, NJ, DE, CT, & VT
** Packer Owned = Ownership, harvesting and processing controlled by same party.

WEEKLY BOXED & DISTRIBUTIVE/LCL VEAL CUTS TRADE
Northeast and North Central Basis for Tue, August 16, 2016
FOB Major Production Points

Compared to last week: Special fed veal cut prices were steady. The weekly veal features sharply increased by 34 percent this reporting period. Shoulder Blade Chops, Leg Cutlets and Scallopini were the most advertised items this week. General feature price trend was unevenly steady.

Item:	Wt. Range	Range	
Carcass, hide off	200-275 lbs	510.00- 515.00	
Foresaddles	86-147 lbs	340.00- 365.00	
Forequarters	43-74 lbs	340.00- 515.00	
Necks, bone-in	24-28 lbs	265.00- 320.00	
Breast	10-18 lbs	125.00- 165.00	
Foreshank	3-5 lbs	370.00- 650.00	
Osso Bucco, foreshank	2-8 lbs	675.00- 860.00	
Shoulder, full	49-85 lbs	350.00- 400.00	
Chuck, square cut	39-68 lbs	240.00- 399.00	
Chuck rolls, skinned	5-10 lbs	440.00- 810.00	
Chuck, Shoulder Clod	4-9 lbs	420.00- 855.00	
Hotel Racks, 8 rib	15-26 lbs	725.00- 770.00	
Hotel Racks, 7 rib	14-25 lbs	700.00- 865.00	
Hotel Racks, Chop Ready, 7 rib	5-9 lbs	1175.00- 1395.00	
Hotel Racks, Chop Ready, 6 rib	4-8 lbs	1250.00- 1395.00	
Rack, Ribeye	3-9 lbs	1750.00- 1750.00	
Hindsaddles	89-153 lbs	500.00- 575.00	
Hindquarters	45-76 lbs	510.00- 600.00	
Loins, regular	18-36 lbs	360.00- 400.00	
Loins, 4x4, trimmed	18-30 lbs	600.00- 670.00	
Strip Loins, bnls, 0x0	1-up lbs	1340.00- 1600.00	
Loin, Short Tenderloin	0.5-up lbs	1025.00- 1505.00	
Legs, double	68-117 lbs	500.00- 580.00	
Legs, single	34-59 lbs	510.00- 625.00	
Legs, slices, retail		795.00- 1150.00	
Legs, TBS 4-piece	27-47 lbs	960.00- 1075.00	
Legs, TBS 3-piece	24-39 lbs	975.00- 1150.00	
Legs, BHS heel-out	27-42 lbs	625.00- 775.00	
Legs, Sknd, butt tenderloin	0.5-up lbs	1135.00- 1325.00	
Top Rnd, Sknd, cap-off	10-15 lbs	1325.00- 1500.00	
Hindshank	5-8 lbs	625.00- 775.00	
Osso Bucco, Hindshank	2-8 lbs	865.00- 1300.00	
Stew Meat, regular		350.00- 565.00	
Bnls Veal Trimmings 75-80% Lean		130.00- 275.00	
Bnls Veal Trimmings 80-90% Lean		170.00- 275.00	
Hvy Nature Green Hides(per piece)		45.00- 50.00	

"SPECIAL-FED (NATURE, MILK-FED) VEAL SLAUGHTER AS REPORTED BY
SLAUGHTER PLANTS IN THE NORTHEAST AND NORTH CENTRAL AREA."

Special Fed Veal Slaughter for:	Year Ago	YTD	YTD
Week ending: 08/13/16 08/06/16 08/15/15	2016	2015	
Northeast	1,970	2,102	2,550
North Central	1,998	1,488	2,227
Total NE & NC	3,968	3,590	4,777

SPECIAL FED PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL CALF KILL FOR 08/06/16---41.04
Actual Calf Slaughter reported by NASS for 08/06/2016--- 8,748
Estimated kill for week ending 08/13/2016----- 8,000

Special Fed Veal Dressed Weights	Year Ago
Week ending: 08/13/16 08/06/16 08/15/15	
Northeast	292.5
North Central	283.2
Total NE & NC	287.8

Meat Production and Actual Liveweight and Dressed Weight			
W/E 08/06/2016			
Production	Species and Class	Liveweight	Dressed Weight

	Mil. Lbs.		
Beef	477.7	Cattle	1,347
Calves & Veal	1.2	Calves	237
Pork	456.5	Hogs	277
Lamb & Mutton	2.5	Sheep	136

Total Meat Production	937.8		

TOTAL POUNDS OF CALF AND VEAL MEAT AVAILABLE			
WEEK ENDING 08/06/2016			
Domestic Production	1,200,000	% of Total	71.79%
Imported	471,656	% of Total	28.21%

Total	1,671,656		100.00%

Federally Inspected Slaughter Percentages by Species, U.S.
Week Ending Saturday, August 06, 2016

Species	Class	# of Head	% of Total
Cattle	TOTAL	581,167	
	Dairy Cows	52,248	9.0

Calves	TOTAL	8,748	

Hogs	TOTAL	2,199,614	

Sheep	TOTAL	36,406	

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SUMMARY OF PENNSYLVANIA LIVESTOCK AUCTIONS

New Holland Calf Auction Report for Thursday, August 11, 2016

Calves Monday:	613	Week Ago:	648	Year Ago:	619
Calves: Compared to last week, Holstein bull calves sold mostly 5.00-10.00 lower. Holstein heifer calves not tested. Demand was moderate. Ag Market News LLC under the USDA-QSA-LMAR program graded 434 head for Thursday's sale. All calves are sold by the cwt.					
Holstein Bull Calves: Number 1 80-128 lbs 100.00-115.00. Number 2 94-128 lbs 90.00-105.00; 80-92 lbs 107.00-110.00. Number 3 100-130 lbs 60.00-70.00; 72-98 lbs 90.00-97.00. Utility 60-110 lbs 60.00-85.00.					

New Holland Livestock Auction Report for Monday, Aug, 15, 2016

Calves Monday:	545	Week Ago:	505	Year Ago:	500
Calves: Compared to last week, Holstein bull calves sold 10.00-20.00 higher. Demand was moderate. All calves are sold by the cwt.					
Holstein Bull Calves: Number 1 70-115 lbs 125.00-145.00. Number 2 60-115 lbs 100.00-125.00. Number 3 75-120 lbs 80.00-105.00. Utility 60-110 lbs 30.00-70.00.					

Vintage Calf Auction Report for Tuesday, Aug 16, 2016

Calves, Monday:	582	Week Ago:	572	Year Ago:	557
Calves: Compared to last week, Holstein bull calves sold 10.00-20.00 higher. Holstein Heifer calves 30.00-40.00 higher on a very light test. Ag Market News LLC under the USDA-QSA-LMAR program graded 455 head for Tuesday's sale. All calves are sold by the cwt.					
Graded Holstein Bull Calves: Number 1 80-113 lbs 127.00-145.00. Number 2 75-113 lbs 122.00-142.00. Number 3 96-107 lbs 115.00, 82-95 lbs 125.00-132.00, 74 lbs 95.00. Utility 64-110 lbs 70.00-100.00.					

SOURCE: USDA-PA Dept Ag Market News, New Holland-Lancaster Co., PA

CANADIAN FEDERALLY INSPECTED SLAUGHTER					
	Current	Week Ago	Year Ago	YTD	
	08/06/16	07/30/16	08/08/15	2016	YTD 2015
Calves:	3,733	4,014	3,271	124,298	116,699
Males:	3,485	3,736	3,061	116,273	109,241
Females:	248	278	210	8,025	7,943

CANADIAN MONTHLY GRAIN FED VEAL REPORT					
(Quebec Sales in Canadian Dollar and Average Price)					
		2016		2015	Hd count
	No of Head	Avg Price	No of Head	Avg Price	% Change
W/E 08/13/16	1,323	220.00	1,040	304.13	27.21%
YTD	46,159	245.36	43,350	275.41	6.48%

AUSTRALIAN VEAL SLAUGHTER STATISTICS					
W/E 08/12/2016					
	This Week	2016 YTD	Last Week	Last Year	2015 YTD
Queensland	205	10,640	210	406	12,402
New South Wales	1,088	52,651	1,471	2,708	101,078
Victoria	5,101	136,007	4,479	5,667	157,553
South Australia	9	1,129	34	35	1,530
Tasmania	3,099	16,894	1,108	3,090	17,788
Total	9,502	217,321	7,302	11,906	290,351

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE FOOD SAFETY AND INSPECTION SERVICE									
IMPORTED MEAT PASSED FOR ENTRY INTO THE UNITED STATES BY COUNTRY IN									
Metric Tons									
Reporting Period: 07/31/16 to 08/06/16									
COUNTRY	BNLS	EDIBLE	OTHER	PRIMALS &	WKLY	YTD			
OF ORIGIN	TRIM	CARC	CUTS	OFFAL	INTACT	SUBPRIMALS	TOTAL	TOTAL	
Australia	--	--	--	--	34	--	34	918	
Canada	19	94	2	33	--	31	180	4711	
New Zealand	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1357	
Total	19	94	2	33	34	31	214	6986	

FEED INGREDIENTS			
Milk Protein Markets	Madison, WI	August	18, 2016 (REPORT 33)
COMPARED TO LAST WEEK:			
(Simple Avg. Change)			
DRY BUTTERMILK- CENTRAL AND EAST			
F.O.B. CENTRAL/ EAST:	0.7800	- 0.8600	unchanged
DRY WHEY- CENTRAL			
F.O.B. CENTRAL:	0.2500	- 0.3500	0.0050 higher
MOSTLY:	0.2600	- 0.3100	0.0200 higher
ANIMAL FEED MILK REPLACER			
F.O.B. Central:	0.2000	- 0.2550	0.0350 higher
DRY WHEY- NORTHEAST			
F.O.B. NORTH EAST:	0.2650	- 0.3125	unchanged
NONFAT DRY MILK- CENT & EAST			
Includes EXTRA GRADE & GRADE A			
LOW/MEDIUM HEAT	0.8000	- 0.9500	0.0175 higher
MOSTLY:	0.8500	- 0.9000	0.0012 higher
HIGH HEAT:	0.8800	- 1.0200	0.0275 lower
WHEY PROTEIN CONCENTRATE			
EDIBLE 34% PROTEIN:	0.5950	- 0.8600	0.0300 higher
MOSTLY:	0.6700	- 0.7600	0.0038 higher

FAT PRODUCTS	DES MOINES, IA	WEEK ENDED:	Aug 13, 2016
CAF CHICAGO EDIBLE TALLOW - Railcar	32.00	Simple Average	
CAF CHICAGO LOOSE LARD, PS AND/OR CP	37.00	Simple Average	
COCONUT OIL, Crude (Source: USDA FAS)	1550.00	July ROTT.(US\$/MT)	

NATIONAL SUMMARY OF VEAL AND CALF GRADED		05/29/16 TO 06/25/16	
		June	
PRIME	594	4.0%	45.6% of Federal Veal and Calf
CHOICE	14,209	96.0%	slaughter represents total
GOOD	0	0.0%	Veal and Calf graded.
STANDARD	0	0.0%	Information provided by: USDA
UTILITY	0	0.0%	Meat Grading and Certification

TOTAL	14,803	TOTAL ACTUAL SLAUGHTER	32,489

